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Transmitted herewith is the patent application of () application identifier or (X) first named inventor, **VIKRAM DEVDAS**, entitled **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR EFFICIENT FLOW CONTROL FOR CLIENT DATA FRAMES OVER GFP ACROSS A SONET/SDH TRANSPORT PATH**, for a(n):

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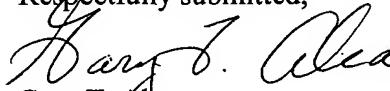
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